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SUBJECT: RECOVERY OF CAMBODIA MAP EQUIPMENT

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1. REQUEST PROMPT RESPONSE TO REFTELS.

2. WE REALIZE THAT CHATCHAI'S ASSERTION THAT ALL GKR EQUIPMENT NOW IN THAILAND WOULD BE RETURNED TO THE KHMER ROUGE MAY HAVE BEEN PUBLIC POSTURING. HOWEVER, YOU SHOULD BE CERTAIN THAT THE RTG UNDERSTANDS THAT THIS IS AN IMPORTANT MATTER TO US AND THAT LEGALLY CAMBODIAN MAP ITEMS IN THAILAND ARE U.S. PROPERTY. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES CAN THESE ITEMS BE TURNED OVER TO KHMER ROUGE. FYI. WE ARE STUDYING AS A MATTER OF PRIORITY HOW TO DISPOSE OF THESE CAMBODIAN ITEMS. WE DO NOT EXCLUDE, OF COURSE, TURNING SOME OF THIS MATERIEL OVER TO THE THAI, BUT WE ARE IN NO POSITION AS YET TO INDICATE THIS TO THE THAI. END FYI. KISSINGER

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